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FAIZ MAURKIS
3042 WEST IONA TERRANCE AVE
GREENFIELD, WI 53221

Dear Mr. Maurkis;

The Public Safety and Licensing Committee has received information from the Department of Revenue and the Racine Police Department that you have been convicted of two offenses related to your cigarette and tobacco license. On 8/13/18, you were convicted of the following offenses:

- 1) Attempt to evade cigarette/tobacco tax, contrary to Wis. Stat. sec. 139.44(2), Racine County Case No. 18CM43.
- 2) Cigarette Retailer- Failed to Keep Records, contrary to Wis. Stat. sec. 134.65(4), Racine County Case No. 18CM43.

Wis. Stat. sec. 134.65(5) states that any convictions under s. 134.65 “shall immediately terminate the license of the person convicted of being personally guilty of such failure to exercise due care and the person shall not be entitled to another license hereunder for a period of 5 years thereafter, nor shall the person in that period act as the servant or agent of a person licensed hereunder for the performance of the acts authorized by such license.” Additionally, based on the above convictions, your license may be revoked or suspended pursuant to Sec. 22-40(2) of the City of Racine Code of Ordinances.

Based on the above, the Public Safety and Licensing Committee will hold a due process hearing to determine whether your license should be renewed, revoked and/or suspended. The hearing will be held on **July 9th, 2019 at 5:30PM in room 303** at City Hall, 730 Washington Ave, Racine, WI 53403. During the hearing and throughout this process, you may be represented by an attorney at your own expense. At the hearing, testimony will be taken under oath and your will have the right to cross examine witnesses, as well as present your own witnesses. The hearing will be recorded. Should you have any specific questions regarding procedures, please contact Attorney Arn at 262-636-9115.

Thank you,

Tara Coolidge, CMC
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